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Education

Indiana University, Indianapolis, IN, **Master of Library Science**, December 2010 Indiana University, Gary, IN, **B.A. Sociology and Spanish**, May 1999

Awards

Indiana's Librarians Leading in Diversity Fellowship, 2009 - 2010

Presentations

Presented at Spring 2009 Indiana Online Users' Group Spring Program: "Next Generation Catalogs: New Worlds to Explore": SOPAC system at Indiana Wesleyan University, Indianapolis, IN

Memberships

Local: Indiana Library Federation, Indiana Online Users Group (IOLUG), Association of Library and Information Science Students

National: American Library Association

Professional Service

Member, Diversity Library committee for Indiana University Northwest, 2010 - present

Member, Campus Council on Diversity, 2010 – 2012

Member, Information Commons Advisory committee at Indiana University Northwest, 2009 – Present

Member, Indiana University Northwest Library Marketing committee, 2008 – present

Member, Reference Librarian search committee at Indiana University Northwest Library, 2007

Member, Director of Library Services search committee at Indiana University Northwest Library, 2004 - 2007

Member, Senior Library Assistant search committee at Indiana University Northwest, 2004

Member, Indiana University Northwest Library Renovation committee, 2003 - 2005

Other Skills and Experience

Languages: Spanish (fluent)

Computer Experience: More than 10 years of computer experience, including Microsoft Office Suite: Word, Excel, Publisher, Outlook, and PowerPoint; Adobe Design Premium Creative Suite 4: Photoshop, Illustrator, Acrobat, Dreamweaver and Fireworks; FIS (Financial Reports Server), SIS, EPIC, Citrix Meta-frame XP

Continuing Education

Conference attendance: Indiana Library Federation, District 1 conference (May 2010); ALA Annual meetings (June 2010)

Job History

Secretary for the Director of Library Services

INDIANA UNIVERSITY NORTHWEST LIBRARY ADMINISTRATION, Gary, Indiana June 2004 – Present

- Maintain inventory of supplies for entire library with the creation of creation of purchase orders of various supplies, subscriptions and supplies utilizing the EPIC Purchasing system
- Responsible for payroll, filing of forms for new employees to the Human Resources Department
- Remain informed of all university HR policies that are in effect in order to inform all library employees of changes and to update any employee information as needed
- Assist the Director with the creation of a monthly spreadsheet with the current status of library expense budgets.
- Type and file all correspondence for the Library Director
- Edit and maintain Library's website as advised by the Director and Systems Librarian
- Assist staff in the Circulation Department with electronic reserves and fill in whenever the department is shorthanded
- Assist at the Reference desk whenever the department is shorthanded or to help with computer related problems as needed

Senior Library Assistant

INDIANA UNIVERSITY NORTHWEST LIBRARY CIRCULATION DEPARTMENT, Gary, Indiana January 2001 – June 2004

- Create, maintain, and improve faculty web pages under the library's electronic reserve program (ERIS)
- Provide instruction to campus faculty about ERIS every semester in order to recruit faculty to use the program
- Direct the Reserve Department staff
- Create and maintain several manuals for the Circulation department and for Reserves

Library Assistant

INDIANA UNIVERSITY NORTHWEST LIBRARY CIRCULATION DEPARTMENT, Gary, Indiana, October 1997 – December 2000

- Maintain a consistent system of mailing out overdue periodicals' notices to Faculty members and students.
- Shelf print periodicals behind the periodicals department and on the shelves for patrons to access.
- Assist the circulation department in checking materials out to patrons as needed
- Assist in training newly hired part-time circulation staff.
- Scan and convert files and web page maintenance for the electronics reserves program

Spanish Lab Monitor and Tutor

INDIANA UNIVERSITY NORTHWEST COMPUTER SERVICES, Gary, Indiana, September 1998 – August 1999

- Provide computer and technical support for students that use the Spanish lab's computers.
- Tutor students in assignments for Spanish courses
- Create study guides for students that request extra assistance